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FAIR IS OPEN TODAY

Chief Justice Fuller Grants a Stay of Proceedings

GOOD UNTIL NEXT THURSDAY

When the Appeal Will Be Heard and the Final Settlement of the Case Made

Chicago, June 10.—The world's fair will be opened tomorrow. After hearing arguments on both sides of the question for an hour today Chief Justice Fuller granted the supersedeas asked by Edwin Walker and General St. Clair, counsel for the exposition, suspending the operation of the injunction closing the gates. The hearing of the appeal was fixed for next Thursday. Chief Justice Fuller announced that Circuit Judge Allen of the southern Illinois district and Judge Hanna of Wisconsin would sit with him on the case.

The granting of the stay of proceedings was a great disappointment to District Attorney Mitchell and the Sunday closers. They came into court today confident that the exposition would receive another setback. The district attorney and his associate counsel fought hard, but failed to convince the court that their objection to the supersedeas was well grounded. The decision was announced in a dozen words and the crowd that filled the court-room could barely contain its gratification.

Fought the Supersedeas.

"Yes, the fair will be open tomorrow," said General St. Clair, and then he and Mr. Walker left the court room leaving E. F. Craig, the head and front of the Sunday closing movement, biting his nails in vexation.

Justice Fuller has laid himself open to criticism," was Mr. Craig's comment, "but I am sure that tomorrow will be the last Sunday the fair will be open. The appeal will be tried Thursday next and then, I believe, the decision of the circuit court will be upheld."

When the district attorney saw the disposition of the court to grant the prayer of the exposition, he and ex-Secretary General Aldrich took the task that the United States court of appeals had no jurisdiction in the case and that it should go directly to the supreme court. They cited authorities without number, but Chief Justice Fuller had a case which rendered theirs null and void. He cited the supreme court opinion that the Federal circuit court was obliged to grant a suspension pending a final settlement of the case where a temporary injunction was involved.

Justice Jackson's Good Law.

"The United States supreme court passed upon a case like that, and while it did not go as far as Justice Jackson," said Chief Justice Fuller, "in holding that the circuit court was compelled to grant a supersedeas, the supreme court held that the appropriate court could do so in its own discretion." That settles it.

After settling the details of having the appeal on Thursday, Justice Fuller ordered the clerk to summon Judges Allen and Hanna here, and in the meantime, Mr. Clark, said the chief justice, let an order of suspension be entered.

Chief Justice Fuller took the position that the defendants had as much right to a stay of proceedings pending a final settlement as in an ordinary suit at law, and declared that neither the main, nor the question of the fair, will be open, nor the arguments will all be heard next Thursday and that a final decision of the appeal case will be made before another Sunday.

EULALIA IN THE RAIN.

She Wanted to See the Fair Even Though it Poured.

Chicago, June 10.—Princess Eulalia and her suite reached the world's fair grounds at noon today, though for two or three hours during the morning no one seemed to know whether to expect them or not. Some of the members of the press corps, however, declared that the trip had been given up on account of the rain, others wondered if a proper invitation had been extended and none of them seemed to know where to expect her. But the princess knew all about it and came to the park in spite of the water that dripped out of the clouds. She came in a motor car, with the royal griffin, accompanied by Commander Davis, Mr. Armour, H. C. Chatfield Taylor and her ladies and the others who have been of the princess party on former trips to the grounds.

At the Victoria house, the party was met by Elen Brower, General Davis' chief clerk, who seemed to be the only one about the administration building who knew anything of the arrangements. The princess and the rest of the party entered the carriage which Mr. Armour had procured for them over to the women's building, where a short reception was held. Then they took the carriage again in a driving rain and drove up the Midway to the German village, where luncheon was served. Mr. Chatfield Taylor sat in the box of her carriage with the main heading down upon him from all quarters and soaking his hat and trim looking suit. There were other carriages not in use, but Mr. Chatfield Taylor was willing to take a dunking to ride in the box of the infant's vehicle.

TEMPERANCE CONGRESS.

The Different Orders Plan for More Efficient Future Work.

Chicago, June 10.—At the temperance congress today, the Independent Order of Good Templars held a big meeting in Columbus hall. Orders were made by officers of the order from different countries. Mrs. Charlotte Gray of England told about the growth of the order in Great Britain. Joseph Mills, the head of the order in England, spoke next. Grand Templar Simon was the succeeding speaker. Chancellor Foushamb was followed by Annanias M. Way of Kansas. Dr. D. H. Wain, grand templar of New York, and other members were showing the growth of the order in their respective districts. Tonight the temperance congress is in the hall of Columbus, at which Joseph Mills, Dr. Mann, Edward Marquardt of Sweden spoke. The American Medical Temperance association and this meeting in the hall of Washington. Dr. T. C. Gathorn of Hartford, Conn., read a paper on the temperance question, from a medical standpoint.

Representatives of the various catholic temperance societies, which have taken a part in the congress, presented this morning in the art institute to consider plans by which all the catholic organizations may be united. Resolutions were adopted with that end in view.

Charity and Prison Congress.

Chicago, June 10.—The conference of charity and correction leaders to a report this morning, the committee on the history of private indoor and outdoor relief, which was read by the Rev. C. O. Truesdell. The next conference will be held in Nashville, Tennessee. This evening the conference listened to the report of the committee on history of reformatories and the historical reports from the states were continued. General Brinkerhoff of Ohio read the report of the committee on the history of prisons. The National Prison association went in a body this morning to visit the penitentiary at Joliet.

Drunkenness Admits Dians.

Chicago, June 10.—Hundreds of drummers from Maine to California came to the fair today. They were a jolly lot and they made their presence felt among the crowd of sightseers. Their coats glittered with gold, white, blue and red badges of the Travelers Protective association, and the subordinate organizations of their states. Most of them came from the west and south and their wives, sisters and daughters were with them.

Grass Eaters See the Fair.

Chicago, June 10.—The delegates to the vegetarians' congress went to the world's fair today. At 4 o'clock this afternoon they met at the exhibit of the British vegetarians' society, which they examined with great interest.

GAUDAUR THE WINNER.

He Breaks the World's Record at the Austin Regatta.

AUSTIN, TEXAS, June 10.—The closing day of the regatta brought out the largest crowd of the week. The feature being the professional three-mile race, in which the record was broken by the first two men, Sumner and Gaudaur.

Sumner, a 20-year-old sculler, mile and a quarter, declared off yesterday because of foul, Henderson and Koenig of St. Louis; Givitch of St. Louis and McDowell of Chicago second; time, 9:48 1/2.

Single scull for professionals, prizes \$1,000, \$500 and \$250, three miles. Stansberry started on the start, but was overtaken by Hamilton, who in turn gave way to Gaudaur. The turn was made without a foul, Gaudaur leading. Peterson second. Gaudaur kept his lead and won by several lengths in 10:07, breaking the record. Peterson, who was second, also got within the record time.

Tub race, 200 yards, Henry Almley Austin won. Time, 1:40 1/2.

Consolation for beaten professionals, three miles with double turn, prizes \$100 and \$50—James Teneyck won by two feet from John Tenney, time, 22:00 1/2.

Gaudaur speak very highly of the course and the broken records make a creditable showing. Peterson has offered to row anyone for the world's championship on this course.

ONE MORE WARSHIP.

The Coast Defense Battleship Massachusetts Launched Yesterday.

PHILADELPHIA, June 10.—The big battleship Massachusetts was successfully launched from the shipyard of the Cramp at 9:20 o'clock this morning, in the presence of Secretary of the Navy, Mr. Denham, Attorney General Olney, the latter representing the state of Massachusetts, a number of distinguished naval and army officers, and a multitude of 15,000 persons. Miss Leila Herbert, daughter of the head of the naval department, christened the vessel with the customary and prettily decorated bottle of champagne. The weather was pleasant. The sun was shining bright and clear, but its warmth was tempered with gentle cool breezes. The big hull had received the last coat of white paint above the water line and of dark red below, on Thursday, and lowered on the ways, all ready to be sent overboard as soon as the tide should be at its flood. When the time arrived the supports were cut away, and as the vessel began to move Miss Herbert gracefully broke the bottle on the ship's prow, and christened her the Massachusetts. By her own momentum the latest addition to Uncle Sam's navy slid gracefully down the inclined plane and dashed into the Delaware river. When she reached midstream lines were thrown to the water and the ship was towed on by the tugboats, where she also moved the cruises New York and Columbia and the ship of war Indiana.

TYPOGRAPHICAL CONVENTION.

Delegates of the International Union Picking to Chicago.

Chicago, June 10.—The forty-first annual convention of the International Typographical union will be held here today, the largest in the history of the organization. The exposition is drawing to Chicago representatives from every subordinate union. Today the delegates began arriving and headquarters were opened in the Grand Northern hotel. The reception committee of Chicago union, No. 16, received the delegates, distributing badges and programs. Already the contest has begun in the interest of the three leading candidates for the presidency. President Prescott is anxious to succeed himself. He more formidable opponents for the prize are John L. Kennedy, Washington, D. C., and William Boyer, Omaha, Nebraska.

Veragua at Niagara.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., June 10.—The duke of Veragua and party arrived here this morning and were driven to the Cataract house. They were received by Mayor Butler, Superintendent Welch of the state reservation, and others. The duke was presented with a handsome gold plaque with the name of Columbus and a scene from his life in relief work upon it. The duke's party were taken to the Cataract site and Lockport Convention, and drove about on both sides of the falls.

Referee Daily Dead.

New York, June 10.—Word was received here tonight from New Orleans that John Duffey, the referee in all the big prize fights at the Olympic club of that city and recently of the new Great central club, is dead.

Thomas Shipyard Dred.

Chicago, June 10.—Thomas Shipyard of the Lakeside association died today. Mr. Shipyard was born in New Jersey forty years ago.

SCORE AND ONE DEAD

Is the Number of Ford Theater Horror Victims.

IS CONGRESS RESPONSIBLE

Washington People Extending Aid to Sufferers and Will Try to Defeat Certain Members.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—At 1 o'clock this morning J. N. McCormack of Wisconsin, who suffered a depressed fracture of the ribs in Friday's disaster, was at the point of death and the doctors reported that he could not live. Mr. McCormack is at the Emergency hospital.

The death list has been reduced to twenty-one. Lewis W. Bondy of New York and M. T. Jarvis of Michigan, who were reported killed, being alive. The bodies of the dead were today prepared for burial and sent to their respective families. Coroner Patterson superintended the work.

It was the intention of the coroner to begin the investigation Monday morning, but as friends and relatives wanted to dispose of the bodies before that time, Dr. Patterson concluded to begin the inquest today, and then adjourned the hearing until next week. The jury of inquest is composed of the following well-known citizens: R. H. Warner, real estate dealer; C. F. Schneider, iron foundry; William Ayer, Charles A. Kellogg, grocer; Frank L. Haney, carpenter and builder; J. A. Sibley, architect. The body of J. E. Chapin of No. 377 Florida avenue was selected for the jury to view and determine the cause of death.

A report gained circulation that Albert G. Yount of Pennsylvania, chief of a division in Ford's theater, died from his injuries last night. The report is incorrect. Mr. Yount is still alive but in a very critical condition. Lewis Bondy of New York reported dead, has turned up unharmed.

The coroner's jury will commence Monday. The jury impaneled this morning consists of practical business men of high character. Investigation by the war department will also be had. The stories of suffering and distress growing out of this calamity are heart-rending.

Congress Condemned.

Condemnation of the niggardly policy of congress is heard on every side and the demand that such men as are immediately responsible shall be punished is general. There is much talk of suing the government for damages, but there is on foot a plan more suggestive of substantial results. It is that the clerks shall unite in petitioning congress to defray the funeral and medical expenses of the dead and injured, provide for payment of the salaries of the injured till they recover and payment of one year's salary to the families of the dead. It is possible that Mr. Holman may object, but he is a very bitter. The feeling against him is very bitter. It is charged that he prevented the strengthening of the building by objecting in the Fifteenth congress to the item appropriating money for that purpose. One man, a very prominent citizen of Washington, told a correspondent that he had started a movement to defeat Holman when the latter comes up for re-election, and that several persons had contributed \$1000 apiece to further it. He says he will raise \$5,000 to prevent his return to congress.

This feeling, while it will doubtless in a great measure diminish, shows the public temper here today. The people feel outraged. It is but natural that they should demand an amendment to their wrath, and while the old man is probably in no physical danger, the scowls that greet him as he passes along the street show how intense is the feeling of the people against him and the niggardly, chicanery policy he represents.

May Be More Deaths.

The list of dead is not so large as was estimated in the haste and confusion of yesterday, but several who were rescued alive have since died, and it is feared that others will give up the battle for life and increase the number of the slaughtered. The scenes at the hospital this morning were not very fearful. Veterans of the war who witnessed some of them said they had never seen their equal even after the fiercest battles of the rebellion. Many victims were bent and twisted and crushed to such an extent as to excite wonder that they could survive. The doors of the hospitals were surrounded by the families and friends of the sufferers within. A few persons were permitted to enter, and they in turn reluctantly gave way to others who like them brought such comfort as they were able to the stricken.

BUNCORS BUNCORED.

Sharp Trick Played by a Couple of Country Detectives.

CLEVELAND, June 10.—Detectives Gates and Orr of Brooklyn, played a pair of green goods men until they got a meeting in a room at the American hotel. Some \$1,500 was produced to sell for \$500, when the detectives made themselves known. After a lively scrimmage the business escaped, and the two men were driven to the police station. The doors of the hospitals were surrounded by the families and friends of the sufferers within. A few persons were permitted to enter, and they in turn reluctantly gave way to others who like them brought such comfort as they were able to the stricken.

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DENVER, Iowa, June 10